

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION**

JASON HUGHES, INDIVIDUALLY AND ON
BEHALF OF ALL OTHERS SIMILARLY SITUATED,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

HURON CONSULTING GROUP INC., GARY E.
HOLDREN, GARY L. BURGE AND WAYNE LIPSKI,

Defendants.

09-CV-04734

Judge Elaine E. Bucklo

**DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO DISMISS THE CONSOLIDATED CLASS
ACTION COMPLAINT**

Defendant Huron Consulting Group Inc. ("Huron") and defendants Gary E. Holdren, Gary L. Burge and Wayne Lipski (collectively with Huron, "defendants"), respectfully move this Court to dismiss plaintiffs' Consolidated Class Action Complaint pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 12(b)(6) for failure to state a claim upon which relief can be granted. In support thereof, defendants submit the accompanying Memorandum of Law in Support of Defendants' Motion to Dismiss the Consolidated Class Action Complaint and Declaration of J. Wes Earnhardt and supporting exhibits attached thereto.

WHEREFORE, defendants respectfully request that this Court dismiss the Consolidated Class Action Complaint filed by plaintiffs in the above-captioned case.

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Respectfully submitted,

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